

ANNOUNCEMENT

ANOTHER BIG XMAS DEMAND IN OVERCOATS AND CRAVENETTES

TO YOU MEN:—We have climbed up to the top of the Clothing Ladder of Success by just such doings as these, offering at smaller prices at a time when you appreciate it most. Still, we want more trade and if good dealing can get it, we will have it.

OVERCOATS AND CRAVENETTES SELL NOW

\$10.00 Coats reduced to...	\$ 7.45
12.50 " " " "	9.95
13.50 " " " "	10.70
15.00 " " " "	11.45
17.50 " " " "	13.95
20.00 " " " "	15.95
25.00 " " " "	19.50

J. M. Nolan & Son
QUALITY STORE

EXTRAORDINARY

Tailored Suits, Coats Skirts, Furs

IN GREAT REDUCTION

BEGINNING TODAY the most important reduction sale of suits, coats and costumes ever held at this festive time of the year. The importance, scope and amazing value giving can only be appreciated by a personal inspection. **SALE COMMENCED** at the opening of the store at 8:30 o'clock this morning.



Taken right out of our stock of High-Class Suits, their prices strike rock bottom here today.

\$16.50 Suits, now.....	\$12.37	\$ 8.50 Coats, now.....	\$ 6.37
18.50 " " " "	13.87	12.50 " " " "	9.37
20.00 " " " "	14.97	15.00 " " " "	11.25
22.50 " " " "	16.88	18.50 " " " "	13.87
25.00 " " " "	18.78	20.00 " " " "	14.97
35.00 " " " "	26.25	25.00 " " " "	18.78
50.00 " " " "	37.50	30.00 " " " "	22.50

ALL DRESS SKIRTS

\$ 5.00 Skirts, now.....	\$3.79
6.50 " " " "	4.84
7.50 " " " "	5.63
10.00 " " " "	7.48

Children's Coats, Also	
\$2.50 Coats, now.....	\$1.87
4.50 " " " "	3.37
6.50 " " " "	4.84

FURS

IN REDUCTION SALE

\$ 1.25 Furs, now.....	\$.94
1.50 " " " "	1.19
2.50 " " " "	1.87
3.50 " " " "	2.73
5.00 " " " "	3.79
10.00 " " " "	7.48
15.00 " " " "	11.25

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YOUR GIFTS
NOW

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NOT A BURDEN

A few years ago there were many who opposed bonding for a mountain water system. Some were opposed because of the tremendous expense involved. They saw the outlay, but could not see the resultant benefit. Others had fair wells, or were satisfied with the water given them from other sources, so were opposed. All these prophesied that the burden would be too heavy. Today all are convinced that the mountain water system is the greatest asset Corvallis possesses, and the toughest old mossback in the city will agree that it was the part of wisdom to install such a system. All who opposed are glad today that their wishes were not heeded. They have not felt the burden, will never feel it, and now appreciate the system.

Those who are opposed to enlarging the city limits are making a mistake similar to that

made by those who opposed the coming of the mountain water system. Only by coming into the city can the outlying district secure mountain water, or retain it; only by coming into the city can it get the sewerage that health demands; only by coming into the city can it get the conveniences there is in even an occasional electric light on the street; only by coming into the city can the streets be opened up so that the residents can get to their homes easily; only by coming into the city can the outlying district get mail at the door, or get sidewalks.

Since this is a fact, why should any oppose coming into the city? Is it possible that the people living just outside present limits do not want these conveniences? When these people located there was it with the expectation or hope that these adjuncts of civilization would never invade their domain? Or is it that these people imagine they see a terrible burden ahead of them in case they enter the city? If this is the idea they are as mistaken as the men who saw a terrible back-breaking burden in the mountain water system. The people of Corvallis are now bearing with a great deal of equanimity the burdens the outlying district will have to bear if it comes in. Not a soul suffered a burden as the result of the coming of the mountain water system. Not a soul in the outlying districts will suffer a burden by coming into the city. It may be that his tax will be slightly increased but he will get more for his money than he ever got in his life, and he will be given for his money exactly what he needs whether he wants it or not.

The man outside the city who opposes annexation is a duplicate of the man who goes to church and refuses to contribute a cent to the preacher's salary or any fund of the church. He is willing to enjoy what others pay for,

but is not willing to bear the expense. When he comes down town he likes to walk on other people's walks but he doesn't want to build one of his own. When he comes down town, he swears if there are fewer lights than he thinks should be up, but he doesn't want to do anything that might put a light in the vicinity of his own property where he and others need it. When he comes down town he enjoys the mountain water, and the decent toilets made possible by sewers, but he doesn't want to help get those conveniences for himself and his neighbors whose health demands it.

The man who opposes annexation is making a mistake. He needs the city and the city needs him. The outlying district is really a part of the city and should be under city control. It will be in a few years, without question, but it should be now while there are fewer difficulties to correct. City taxes and city conveniences will not bring a burden that any can not afford to bear. The general public good demands this annexation. It is hoped that those favorable can show those opposed that it will be a mistake to vote "no" next Saturday.

NOTICE

To those who have been misinformed, and to others concerned: Whereas, it has been said that we do not make candy but buy it, I wish to say for the benefit of the general public that we do make candy and make it every day. chocolates, taffies, caramels, mixed candies, etc. A visit to our factory will convince you. I wish to say further that we carry in stock a good assortment of Lowney's and Gunther's pack-

age goods, also a few Christmas specialties. We also have an elegant assortment of fancy boxes, baskets, etc., which we are packing with goods of our own make. 12-16-2t

MACY'S CONFECTIONERY.

UNIQUE PARTY

The Senior members of the O. A. C. Miner's Association treated the lower class men in the mining department to a very unique entertainment Tuesday evening. The large basement at the home of Prof. Parks was converted into a realistic mine, manned and equipped by the Senior class. The lower classmen were given the privilege of visiting and inspecting the mine, in which various mining operations were in full swing.

The visitors were lowered into the mine through the shaft and as they stepped from the cage into the blackness below they were met by a shift boss, who conducted them through the dangerous underground passages and pointed out things of interest to miners. After visiting the surveying squad the visitors were conducted to the stope in a remote part of the mine, through the manway. In the stope a gang of drill men were at work with hammer and drills putting in a round of shots. In the way out of the stope the shift bosses pointed out the chute through which the ore was conveyed from the stope to the drift below, where it was trammed away by the energetic seniors. Some of the visitors narrowly escaped what might have been a fatal collision with a heavily loaded tram car as it came down the narrow drift.

The shift bosses next conducted their parties to another

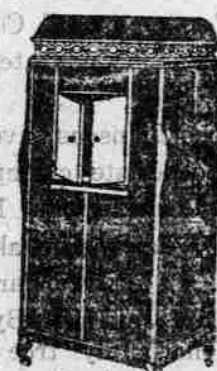
drift where a timber gang was putting in a set of timbers. Probably the most realistic feature of the mining operations was the clearing of the drift of miners and visitors just before a round of shots was fired.

After coming out of the mine the boys assembled in the living room around the open fire where interesting mining experiences were related by different mem-

bers of the Association and views of mining and smelting plants were exhibited.

Mrs. Parks, assisted by a number of the Seniors, served apples, nuts and home-made candy to the hungry miners and their visitors. At an early hour the jolly crowd dispersed with rousing cheers for Prof. and Mrs. Parks, Mr. French and The Miners.

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